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# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:	) Group Art Unit: 1632
Ron Yacov, et al.	Examiner: Joseph T. Woitach RECEIVED
Serial No.: 09/830,176	RECEIVED
Filed: <b>April 23, 2001</b>	) ) ) ) )
For: A Myeloid Precursor Cell Useful for Gene Therapy and for Modulation of Immune Responses	TECH CENTER 1600/2900

# TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

#### I. DOCUMENTS ENCLOSED:

Applicant submits the following documents with this Transmittal Letter.

- (1) Amendment and Response to Restriction Requirement; and
- (2) A postcard.

### II. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

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Applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of months checked below:

EXTENSION (months)	FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY	FEE FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
1 month	\$55.00	\$110.00
2 months	\$200.00	\$400.00
3 months	\$460.00	\$920.00
4 months	\$720.00	\$1,440.00
5 months	\$980.00	\$1,960.00

If any extension fee is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

#### III. METHOD OF PAYMENT OF FEES:

$\boxtimes$	Charge Lyon & Lyon's Deposit Account No. 12	2-2475 in the amount of \$55.00.
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The Commissioner is authorized to charge Lyon & Lyon's Deposit Account No. 12-2475 for any fees required under 37 CFR §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.445 that are not covered, in whole or in part, by a check enclosed herewith and to credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account No. 12-2475.

Respectfully submitted,

LYON & LYON LLP

Dated:  $\frac{7/8}{0.00}$ 

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#### RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

On May 16, 2002, the Examiner mailed a Restriction Requirement with a one-month reply date set for June 16, 2002. Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time to respond under 37 CFR § 1.136, making the new deadline July 16, 2002.

The office action restricted the application to four groups. Applicants hereby elect to proceed with Group I (claims 1-3, 7, and 8) with traverse.

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## **CONCLUSION**

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees required by the filing of these papers, and to credit any overpayment to Lyon & Lyon's Deposit Account No. 12-2475. If Applicants can do anything more to expedite this application, Applicants ask the Examiner to contact the undersigned at (213) 489-1600.

Respectfully submitted,

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